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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In the Application of:	)	
Richard L. Edelson	)	
	)	Art Unit: 1632
on Methods for Inducing the Differentiation	)	
of Monocytes into Functional Dendritic	)	Examiner: Quang Nguyen
Cells and Immunotherapeutic Compositions	)	
Including Such Dendritic Cells	)	
	)	
Application Serial No. 09/294,494	)	
	)	
Filed On: April 20, 1999	)	(Docket No. 270425.0003)

Dated at Hartford, Connecticut this 7th day of May, 2002

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Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, DC 20231

**PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION  
OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a)(1)**

Dear Sir:

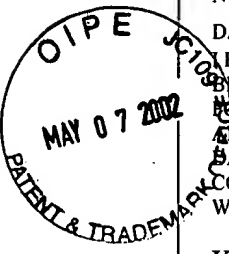
Applicant hereby requests a three-month extension of time in which to respond to the Office Action mailed November 7, 2001, thereby extending the period for response from February 7, 2002 to May 7, 2002. A check in the amount of \$460.00 is enclosed to cover the required fee pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.17(a).

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Respectfully submitted,

Date: May 7, 2002

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